



**VOLUNTARY REMEDIATION PROGRAM
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT**

PROJECT SUMMARY

Site Name:	Goshen Former Manufactured Gas Plant
Applicant's Name:	Northern Indiana Public Service Company
Site Location:	312 North 5 th Street Goshen, Indiana Elkhart County
VRP Site Number:	6970710
Project Manager:	Andrea Robertson
Date Application Received:	August 4, 1997
Date Project Completed:	October 12, 2000
Project Duration:	3 years, 2 months
Contaminant Group(s):	polyaromatic hydrocarbons, benzene, ethylbenzene, toluene and xylene
Media Cleaned Up:	surface soil and subsurface soil
Cleanup Goals Achieved:	Residential and Nonresidential Tier II
Deed/Land Use Restrictions:	Nonresidential Use Only

Project Description: The cleanup at the Goshen Former Manufactured Gas Plant involved the removal of contaminated surface and subsurface soil. Approximately 16,200 tons of non-hazardous soil was removed and disposed in a landfill and 9,000 tons of treated tar impacted soil was transported and co-burned at Wheatfield, Indiana. At the conclusion of the project, soil samples collected from the area indicated that conditions at the site were protective of human health and the environment for the constituents of polyaromatic hydrocarbons, benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene, and total xylene. Following the removal of the soil, the excavation was backfilled using clean sand and stone.